



PROPOSED RULE MAKING

CR-102 (June 2012)

(Implements RCW 34.05.320)

Do **NOT** use for expedited rule making

Agency: Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board

<input type="checkbox"/> Preproposal Statement of Inquiry was filed as WSR 13-14-021 _____ ; or	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original Notice
<input type="checkbox"/> Expedited Rule Making--Proposed notice was filed as WSR _____ ; or	<input type="checkbox"/> Supplemental Notice to WSR _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Proposal is exempt under RCW 34.05.310(4) or 34.05.330(1).	<input type="checkbox"/> Continuance of WSR _____

Title of rule and other identifying information: (Describe Subject) Chapter 16-750: State Noxious Weed List and Schedule of Monetary Penalties. The Board is proposing to amend the state noxious weed list for 2014. Specifically, the Board is considering: the addition of two Class B noxious weeds and two Class C noxious weeds; reinstatement of modified listing language for a current noxious weed; reclassification of two Class A noxious weeds and the reclassification of 11 hawkweed listings; reinsertion of a listing exemption of a Class B noxious weed; modifications to designations of 12 Class B noxious weeds.

Hearing location(s):

The Confluence Technology Center
285 Technology Center Way
Wenatchee, WA 98801

Date: November 5, 2013 Time: 1:00-3:00 p.m.

Submit written comments to:

Name: Alison Halpern
Address: WSNWCB; P.O. Box 42560; Olympia, WA 98504-2560
e-mail ahalpern@agr.wa.gov or noxiousweeds@agr.wa.gov
fax (360)902-2094 by (date) November 4, 2013

Assistance for persons with disabilities: Contact

Wendy DesCamp _____ by October 31, 2013

TTY (800) 833-6388 _____ or 711 _____

Date of intended adoption: December 28, 2013

(Note: This is **NOT** the **effective** date)

Purpose of the proposal and its anticipated effects, including any changes in existing rules:

The WA State Noxious Weed List provides the basis for noxious weed control efforts for county noxious weed control boards and other entities. It also provides guidelines for the state noxious weed control board. This proposal makes several amendments to WAC 16-750-005 through 16-750-015.

Reasons supporting proposal: The State Noxious Weed Control Board is charged with updating the state noxious weed list on an annual basis to ensure it accurately reflects the noxious weed control priorities and noxious weed distribution.

Statutory authority for adoption: Chapter 17.10 RCW

Statute being implemented: Chapter 17.10 RCW

Is rule necessary because of a:

Federal Law?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
Federal Court Decision?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No
State Court Decision?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No

If yes, CITATION:

DATE

2 October 2013

NAME (type or print)

Alison Halpern

SIGNATURE

Alison Halpern

TITLE Executive Secretary, WSNWCB

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Agency comments or recommendations, if any, as to statutory language, implementation, enforcement, and fiscal matters:

Name of proponent: (person or organization) Washington State Noxious Weed Control Board

☐ Private
☐ Public
☒ Governmental

Name of agency personnel responsible for:

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Has a small business economic impact statement been prepared under chapter 19.85 RCW or has a school district fiscal impact statement been prepared under section 1, chapter 210, Laws of 2012?

☐ Yes. Attach copy of small business economic impact statement or school district fiscal impact statement.

A copy of the statement may be obtained by contacting:

Name:

Address:

phone () _____

fax () _____

e-mail _____

☒ No. Explain why no statement was prepared.

RCW 19.85.030(1)(a) requires that an agency prepare a small business economic impact statement (SBEIS) for proposed rules that impose more than a minor cost on businesses in an industry. An analysis of the direct economic effects of the proposed rule amendments indicates that costs to small businesses would be negligible or none at all. A copy of the analysis is attached, and it can be obtained by contacting:

Alison Halpern

WSNWCB

PO Box 42560

Olympia, WA 98504-2560

Is a cost-benefit analysis required under RCW 34.05.328?

☐ Yes A preliminary cost-benefit analysis may be obtained by contacting:

Name:

Address:

phone () _____

fax () _____

e-mail _____

☒ No: Please explain: The Washington State Noxious Control Board is not one of the agencies listed in this section.